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PRICE THREE CENTS

TO SAVE THE HOGS

Many Thousands of Dollars Are Lost Annually

VACCINATION ONLY REMEDY

Many thousands of dollars are lost every year in Delaware through hog cholera. The only way to control this disease is by protective vaccination. By co-operation of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board with the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, we have in the state a hog cholera specialist who has been looking after the work here for more than a year. This specialist, Dr. Zerkow, makes the following statement:

"The control of hog cholera in Delaware is centered around protective vaccination in infected neighborhoods with the chief mediums through which this work is done. Successful vaccination is dependent on proper administration and sufficient dosage of both serum and virus. If there are visible signs of disease in the herd to be treated, a correct diagnosis is essential in order to know that the hogs are free from other ailments than hog cholera. Bad results following vaccination are very often due to the existence of some disease other than cholera in the hogs at the time of vaccination.

To establish a uniform method of vaccination and to demonstrate the efficacy of the preventive serum treatment in infected neighborhoods, a number of demonstrations were held in different sections of the state. It is believed that these demonstrations resulted in more general and timely use of serum as shown by the records of 1918. Out of nearly 8,000 hogs observed in 589 herds, only 57 animals were found too sick to receive treatment.

Having on several occasions demonstrated the proper methods of vaccination to veterinarians in the state, they were left to do the vaccinating whenever needed, with occasional assistance whenever it was asked or deemed necessary. The work of the Bureau of Animal Industry in the control of hog cholera in co-operation with state authorities has been confined to making diagnoses of diseases of swine, and, occasionally, of live stock, holding post-mortem examinations, and in other ways assisting the state forces, farmers and practicing veterinarians in keeping down hog cholera.

Three important factors enter into successful control of hog cholera. They are sanitation, proper and timely vaccination, and quarantine of sick animals. Neither one of the above means will alone eradicate the disease. Sanitation is an important means of keeping hog cholera down in a state. This is particularly true where cholera appears in a herd. All sick hogs should then be separated from the herd and kept penned up to avoid the scattering of cholera infection over the farm. An even better method in positive cases of cholera infection, is to immediately destroy those animals which show advanced symptoms of the disease, as a very small percentage of them ever recover even if treated with serum. All pens that have harbored sick hogs should be thoroughly cleaned and the litter and manure removed and spread on a field and ploughed under. The action of the sun will soon destroy the infected material in the field where sick animals have been running at large. The pens and board fences should be sprayed with a ten per cent. solution of cresol compound and afterwards whitewashed. This method conscientiously followed will to a great extent do away with recurrences of hog cholera on farms hereafter.

Proper disposal of hogs that have died from any cause whatever is a very important part of sanitation. The practice of leaving hog carcasses undisturbed cannot be too strongly condemned. It shows on the part of someone a lack of appreciation of the seriousness of the offence and is a great injustice to the neighborhood. A considerable percentage of cholera outbreaks are traceable indirectly to carelessness in not properly disposing of the carcasses of animals that die on the farm. The large number of buzzards in this state are a factor in carrying infection, which should be eliminated if we are to successfully combat hog cholera and other live stock diseases."

New Castle Presbytery

An adjourned meeting of New Castle Presbytery will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Delaware City, next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of installing Rev. R. C. Pitzer, pastor. Rev. Charles H. Bohner, moderator, will preside.

The sermon will be preached by Rev. W. Clyde, of Head of Christians Church. The charge to the people will be delivered by Rev. Charles L. Candee of Wilmington. The charge to the pastor by Dr. Joel S. Gillilan, of Wilmington.

Music will be furnished by Fort Dupont orchestra.

"Porch Party"

Miss Caroline Fouracre entertained a large number of her young friends at a "porch party," Monday evening, in honor of her guests, Misses Faye Moore and Ruth Russell, of Milford. The evening was spent in dancing until 10.30 o'clock, when the guests were served refreshments.

WHEAT CROP BIG FAILURE

Wheat harvest in this neighborhood commenced last week, and the shortage has been almost the entire subject of conversation among the farmers and others ever since—the Peace Treaty hardly being mentioned or thought of. Prospects have been looking good for a bumper crop in this vicinity, but as harvest time approached, it was discovered that many fields were seriously affected, with what is known as "Stubble falling," and great damage has been done. We have heard many farmers express their opinions as to the cause and their belief as to the amount of damage, some one-half, others one-third, while some declare "only threshing will tell."

The bearded varieties of wheat have suffered less than the bald varieties. As many of the farmers have been sowing for the last few years the bald variety, the damage will be greater than it otherwise would have been. One variety of the bearded wheat which seems to have withstood the blight is the "Pennsylvania Blue Stem." Many of the small growers have planted this variety, and are not experiencing the troubles that the planters are who have sown the bald varieties.

The failure is deeply regretted by all, but the farmers are looking the matter in the face philosophically, and hoping for the best.

LAUNDRYMAN DIES

Lee Owen, the Chinese laundryman, who was removed from his laundry here to a hospital in Elkton, Md., last Thursday, died there on Saturday morning, supposedly from opium poisoning. He had closed his place of business during June, and had gone to New York, and upon his arrival home a week later had confined himself to his laundry and was found by a neighboring barber in an unconscious condition on the date of his removal to the hospital.

His remains were brought here by J. H. Emerson, an undertaker of this town, and an effort was made to locate his relatives, which seemed at first to be without avail, and his remains were to be interred in Potter's Field, at Farnhurst on Monday.

The freemasonry among the Chinese was demonstrated, however, to-day, when an automobile hearse from the firm of Albert Moore & Son, arrived here with and order from Rev. Lee Hong, director of the Christian Chinese Mission of Philadelphia, for the body of the dead Chinaman and his valuable effects. No one here knows as to how the news reached Philadelphia of the death of the man.

STATE BANKERS MEET

The County Agricultural Committee of the State Bankers' Association recently appointed by President John S. Russell met at the Hotel duPont June 20, and in consultation with State Club Leader T. O. Martin and Agricultural Agent R. T. Bausman adopted a county agricultural development program which will be recommended at the joint meeting of the County Agricultural Committee of the State to be held probably August 14, at the College Farm at Newark.

According to the suggested program the Agricultural Committee proposes that the State Bankers' Association co-operate with the Farm Bureau in motivating the agricultural development project being carried out, especially in reference to placing pure-bred animals among the boys and girls clubs and making awards in meritorious cases, bringing into the County pure-bred dairy cattle, and placing them among the farmers at cost, encouraging farmers in the use of better herd sires, promoting cow testing associations and providing farmers with suitable farm record books and giving assistance in starting their inventories and opening accounts.

"Fly Campaign"

The Civics committee of the New Town Club will co-operate with the Town Commissioners in a fly swatting campaign for July and August.

All citizens are urged to help in exterminating the fly, and thus rid the town of a summer menace to health.

Flies are disease and filth carriers, and all their breeding places must be screened or removed. Citizens are urged to put out fly traps, and encourage the children in every way possible in this undertaking. Begin the campaign at home.

1. Ten cents will be paid for each ounce of dead flies
2. Flies will be weighed from 9 to 10 A. M. each Thursday of July and August beginning July 10th, at the office of Mr. D. W. Stevens, South Broad St.

3. All flies should be brought in paper bags.

OBITUARY

ELEANOR M. MORRISON

Eleanor Marie, infant daughter of Robert M. and Viola M. Morrison, died early last Saturday morning at the home of her parents, near St. Georges, of pneumonia, aged three months and 19 days. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, with interment at White Clay Creek cemetery.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Many Condensed News Items of the Past Week

IN THIS AND NEARBY PLACES

Dr. G. Burton Pearson of Elkton, Md., expects to move his office to Newark during the early part of July and will practice the profession of medicine in that locality.

Pleasant Summit W. C. T. U. will hold the next meeting at Mrs. Elizabeth Marker's on Thursday afternoon, July 3d. A full attendance is desired to transact important business.

Berlin newspapers state that 3,000 German sailors lost their lives in the sinking of 198 submarines and that several thousand others lost their reason and were committed to asylums.

Eight thousand three hundred three dollars for thirty head of pure-bred Holstein cattle, an average of \$276, is the record set at Mr. J. L. Dayett's sale held at his farm at Cooch's, June 19.

The seventeen year locusts who have about disappeared from this section, were less numerous than on their former visits in 1902, 1885 and 1868. The damage to young trees has been correspondingly less, and is scarcely noticeable.

Port Penn taxpayers sent a petition to the Levy Court with 58 names affixed, asking for a gravel oiled road to be built through the village of Port Penn. The matter was referred to Commissioner McCoy and County Engineer Grubb.

On account of the unusually large number of applicants for entrance to Delaware College for the year 1919-1920, a special entrance examination in English will be held at Delaware College and the Women's College of Delaware on Wednesday morning, July 2, at 11.15.

July 1 will be a notable date for reasons other than that of the beginning of the "Era of Great Thirst." As far as the Postoffice is concerned the war is over on that date and a two cent stamp will take a letter just as far and as speedily as a three cent stamp will now.

Postal cards will sell for a penny and only one cent stamps will be required on souvenir cards.

MEN BURIED UNDER SAND

"Tobe" Jones, a young colored man of this town, was buried under tons of gravel and sand while working in a gravel pit near Armstrong's Corner shortly after noon last Friday. When dug from his living tomb and revived by a physician it was found that he had sustained a compound fracture of both legs, and had one hip dislocated, had sustained severe bruises over the entire body, and was badly lacerated about the face and head. Two colored men who were working with Jones escaped with minor bruises and lacerations of the face and body.

Jones and the other men had been engaged to load trucks with gravel being hauled to the cannery of Middleton & Co., at Armstrongs and had just finished loading one truck. They stepped back under the bank of the pit in the shade to rest while awaiting the return of the truck when, without warning, the upper part of the bank of the pit caved in on them, throwing many tons of gravel and sand upon the men.

A colored woman was nearby and saw the cave-in, and gave the alarm to a crew of wheat harvesters working in a nearby field. Shovels were procured and the men's heads were uncovered. All were in a semi-conscious condition when removed from the pit. They were taken to Armstrongs Corner by Robert T. Cochran and Arthur Crow, who were the first on the scene and Dr. J. D. Niles, of Townsend, who was passing, was called in. He attended to the men, and later ordered the removal of Jones to a Wilmington hospital.

Reed-Davidson Wedding

Mr. Miller D. Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Reed, of this town, and Miss Martha I. Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Davidson, of near Delaware City, were quietly married at eight o'clock, Monday evening, at the St. Georges M. E. Parsonage by Rev. Ivanhoe Willis.

The bride wore a dress of white crepe de chine, heavily beaded and a large white satin hat. The couple were attended by Miss Margaret Hill, of St. Georges and Mr. Albert M. Jolls, of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed will make their home here.

The Transcript extends congratulations to the newly wedded couple.

Two Cent Postage July 1

The following announcement was made last Saturday at the New York Post Office:

"Postmaster Thomas G. Patter has received word from Washington that beginning July 1 the rate of postage for first class mail will be 2 cents per ounce or fraction thereof, and for domestic post cards 1 cent each. The price of first quality of stamped envelopes has been increased 12 cents per 1,000."

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH NOTES

EPISCOPAL
Sunday, June 29th, 1919. Feast, St. Peter, Apostle. Second Sunday after Trinity.
Services: 10.30, Morning Prayer and sermon.

11.45, Sunday School.
7.30, Evening Prayer and address.
The Sacrament of baptism will be administered immediately after the Church service.

ST. PETER'S DAY, JUNE 29TH
"Lord, Thou knowest that I love Thee." St. John XXI:15.

We commemorate to-day the martyrdom of St. Peter, a prince of the apostles, and the brother of St. Andrew. He was a fisherman of Galilee, but, at our Saviour's command, left his employment and followed Him; and thenceforth was one of His most devoted disciples. In a moment of weakness and great temptation, he denied his Master; but he repented bitterly, and spent all the rest of his life in most earnest and self-sacrificing service; preaching in Samaria, Antioch, Asia, and elsewhere, and bringing many thousands of the Saviour's wandering "sheep" into the fold of the true Shepherd. It is said that he was put to death at Rome, and chose to be crucified with his head downward, because he thought himself unworthy to die in the same position in which his Master suffered. One of St. Peter's symbols, the cock that crowed, has been sometimes placed on steeples, a warning to unfaithful teachers, lest they deny their Lord. He is usually represented with keys in his hand, as it was said to him, "Unto thee will I give the keys of the kingdom of Heaven."

"Lord, Thou knowest that I love Thee. Whom have I in Heaven but Thee? None on earth I prize above Thee. Oh, be gracious unto me. Henceforth all my life's devotion, I shall deem to poor to prove With what trembling, fond emotion I repent, and trust, and love; Thankful even if my falling May to others warning be, And my gentle, kind recalling 'Draw some wand'rer back to Thee.'"

The Church will be closed during the month of July as the Rector will be on his vacation.

FOREST CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, June 29th, 1919.
10.30 A. M. Public worship with sermon.

11.45 A. M. Sunday School session.
6.45 P. M. Christian Endeavor service. Topic: "What Does Loyalty to Our Church and Country Call For." Matt. 22:15-22.

7.30 P. M. Evening service with sermon.

Wednesday evening, prayer meeting at 8 o'clock.

We are highly gratified at the firm stand which our Senators and Representatives in the National Congress have taken in favor of Prohibition. In respect to our letters on this question Senator Josiah O. Wolcott wrote:

"I voted for the original war-time prohibition act and I see no reason for changing my attitude toward that question. Touching the enforcement of the prohibition legislation, I shall vote for rigid enforcement provisions."

Senator L. Heister Ball wrote: "My very earnest endeavors will be put forth to assist in keeping this country under strict prohibition laws, believing as I do, that it is for the best interests of our nation."

Representative Caleb R. Layton wrote:

"I have your letter in which you protest against repeal of the War-time Prohibition, and desire to reply by saying that the same is as good as done, whenever the matter comes up."

BETHESDA CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, June 29th, 1919.
9.30 A. M. The Brotherhood meeting will be in charge of Brother William T. Pearce.

10.30 A. M. Morning worship with sermon by the Rev. Chas. A. Hill, D. D., of Smyrna, Del.

11.45 A. M. Sunday School session. Would like to see every teacher, scholar and official present.

7.30 P. M. Evening Worship with sermon by the Rev. Chas. A. Hill, D. D. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in charge of Brother William Kates. Come and enjoy this service.

Dr. Northrup and wife are enjoying a very pleasant trip to Columbus, Ohio, where they are attending the great Centenary Celebration of the Methodist Episcopal Church. It is with a great deal of pleasure and pride that this church "went over the top" with their share of the \$105,000,000.00, and then, in their kindness and generosity, gave the Pastor and his wife a trip to this wonderful celebration and great gathering of Methodists. Dr. Northrup will take great pleasure in representing the Middletown M. E. Church.

In planning for Sunday, July 6th, don't forget, there will be special patriotic services. Further announcement next week.

Card of Thanks

Through the columns of The Transcript I wish to thank the neighbors and friends who were so kind to me during the illness and death of my husband, Powell F. Johns.

FRIENDS & VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know

THOSE THAT COME AND GO
Master Winfield Betts is visiting relatives at Frederica.

Mrs. E. C. Green is entertaining Mrs. A. R. Trimble, of Troy, N. Y.

Mrs. J. Z. Crossland spent Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Harry J. Ellison, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with relatives in town.

Mrs. Joseph R. Heldmyer and children are spending sometime with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. Francis Pinder, of Chester, Pa., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Pinder.

Mrs. L. A. Bell, of Wilmington, visited her mother Mrs. Z. T. Bradley over the week-end.

Miss Ruth Russell has returned to her home in Milford after a visit with Mr. T. S. Fouracre and family.

Miss Beulah Jewell, of Wilmington, spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jewell.

Mr. Joseph P. Conegies, of Philadelphia, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Conegies on Sunday.

Mr. Leslie Truitt has received his honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy and is at his home here.

Miss Elizabeth Reynolds, of near Kirkwood, spent the week with her grandmother Mrs. Mary Droll.

Miss Jean Metten entertained Misses Blanche and Elma Deakne, of Wilmington, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dugan and family spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. John Burris at New Castle.

Mrs. Marcellus Jones, of Wyncote, Pa., is spending this week with Mrs. J. R. and Mrs. C. A. Hofferker.

Mrs. L. E. Cullen and Misses Helen and Mabel Fouracre are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gill in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poore and little daughter, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Nellie Lockwood.

Mrs. John Arthurs and daughter Miss Sylvia, of Wilmington, are spending sometime with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Burris.

Charles Otis Peterson, wife and little daughter Emma, of Pennsylvania, N. J., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Alice S. Peterson.

Mrs. Walter L. Britton and little daughter Alice, of Herring, N. Y., is spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Alice S. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green and son and Mrs. William VanSant, of Wilmington, are guests of their mother Mrs. Alfred Green this week.

Mrs. Albert M. Saunders and little son and Mrs. Mae Moore, of Wilmington are spending two weeks with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Buehn.

Mr. Merritt N. Lockwood, son of Mrs. Nellie Lockwood, has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army and is visiting his mother here this week.

Mrs. M. B. Burris is entertaining Mrs. W. J. Moore and daughter Miss Irene E. Moore, of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Burris had as guests on Wednesday Dr. and Mrs. William Hardesty and Mr. W. J. Moore, also of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Berkman had for week-end visitors Mr. and Mrs. Lester M. Shestack, Misses Nellie Shestack and Belle Kratzok and Mr. E. P. Greenburg, all of Philadelphia. Mrs. Shestack and Miss Shestack are spending sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Berkman.

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Mrs. Caroline Hahn is spending sometime at Wildwood, N. J.

Mrs. I. G. Webb and daughter visited relatives at Townsend on Tuesday.

Mr. George Croft, of Wilmington, visited his mother Mrs. Eliza Croft on Sunday.

Mr. Leonard Rhodes, of Newark, has been visiting his mother Mrs. Annie Rhodes.

Mr. Frank Tucker, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his brother Mr. Harry Tucker.

Miss Lida Cotter who has been spending sometime with Mrs. I. G. Webb has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heller and daughter are spending this week with relatives near Glasgow.

St. Paul's M. E. Sunday School will begin at 10 A. M. on Sunday morning, next, June 29th, to continue for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart and daughter, Miss Beulah McCormick, Mr. Frank Farrell and Mr. J. Stewart, of Chester visited relatives in town on Saturday and Sunday.

MIDDLETOWN VS. BELMONT

Middletown defeated Belmont, of Wilmington, on the local grounds last Saturday afternoon by the score of 7 to 2. Middletown's line-up was badly broken, as four of her regular players were not in the game, but the substitutes did good work and Heldmyer led the batting with four hits. Finn pitched a remarkable game allowing the visitors only five scattered hits and placing to his credit seventeen strike outs.

The score by innings follows:
Middletown.....1 0 0 2 2 0 0 2 x-7
Belmont.....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-2

TO MILFORD TO-DAY

The locals will journey to Milford this afternoon, for their second game, with the Caulk Club of that town, the first contest having resulted in the home team's favor here by the score of 5 to 4.

MIDDLETOWN VS. EDEN ON THE 4TH
Lovers of the National game will have a chance on the Fourth to witness two good games at Academy Park, arrangements having been made with the strong Eden Club, of Wilmington. The first contest to start at 10 o'clock A. M., and the afternoon game at 3.30. The Eden boys have visited our town in seasons past, and have always put up a good game.

TOWNSEND

Mrs. Haynes, of Clayton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Eva Lsttomus.

Mr. J. Banks, of Wilmington, spent the week-end as the guest of Dallas Hart.

John Morris and family, of near Smyrna, spent Sunday with her brother Walter Lee and family.

Miss Mable Harmon, of Philadelphia, is spending a two weeks vacation with her mother, Mrs. William C. Deakne.

A wedding reception will be given to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Townsend on Tuesday evening, July 1st, from 8 to 11 o'clock.

Mr. William Smith, of Cleveland, Ohio, and nephew, Frank Hutchison, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with David P. Hutchison.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Shockley, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones and Mrs. Sallie E. Watts visited Albert Watts and family in Cecilton, Md., Sunday.

Carleton and Clifton VanDyke, of Atlantic City, N. J., who spent the week with their grandparents, George W. VanDyke and wife, left town Friday for Betterton, Md., for a few days visit with Leonard Price and family.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Collins on Tuesday evening, a reception was given to their daughter, Laura, who was recently married to Walter Treleven. The young couple were kindly remembered by many useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Treleven have the best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

WARWICK

Mrs. S. D. Wilson spent Tuesday with Mrs. Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lofland spent the week-end with his mother.

Rev. and Mrs. George are visiting among his members at Salem.

Misses Stella and Jennie Bishop have gone to Boston for a ten days trip.

Miss Nellie Bishop returned home after visiting in Virginia for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Price, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with his parents.

Miss Ruth Merritt, of Fair Oaks, is spending sometime with her grandparents.

Mrs. Elmer Earnest, of Sassafras, spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. J. R. H. Price.

Miss Agnes Merritt is visiting her aunt Mrs. F. Bernard in Kennett Square, Pa.

Mrs. D. Cannon has returned to Philadelphia after being with her mother quite a while.

Mr. Charles Holden, of Media, Pa., was a visitor at the home of his brother the past week.

Miss Nan Davies has returned to Philadelphia after spending sometime with Mrs. Mary Lofland.

Townsend's New Theatre

The new Townsend movie theatre will open its doors to the public, with a matinee this (Saturday) afternoon, at two o'clock and two shows in the evening. The new theatre will be run under the management of Mr. W. T. Wells, who for several weeks has had a number of men employed making additions and alterations necessary to convert the building into a modern moving picture theatre.

Mr. Wells proposes to run three shows each week, and to give the people of Townsend and the surrounding community the very best pictures to be obtained. The new theatre has a seating capacity to accommodate 500 people, its own electric light plant and up-to-date in every respect.

Watch the advertising columns of The Transcript for special features each week.

SCHOOL PROMOTIONS

Names of The Pupils Who Passed in Examinations

EIGHT IN GRADUATING CLASS

We publish below the list of promotions of the Middletown Public School for the year ending June 20th, 1919.

Graduated—Claude Fouracre, Purnal L. McWhorter, Wilson Ginn, Elva Freeman, Ernest Tee, Daniel Bingnear, Margaret Caulk, Frank Jones. Completed Special Course—Edwin McDowell.

Promoted from Grade 10 to Grade 11—Edith Cochran, Clara Brady, Elizabeth Shalcross, June Johnson, Rogers Fouracre, John Carey, Josephine Kohl, Laura Fogel.

Promoted from Grade 9 to Grade 10—Mary Records, Anna Bingnear, Marshall Whitlock, Corinne VanSant.

Promoted to 9th Grade—Burton Pearson, Gladys Gabriel, Margie Records, Walter Beaten, Caroline Fouracre, Percy Donaghy, John Pool, Harman Money, Margaret Harris, Irwin Armstrong, Burton Williams, Mildred Nelson, Charles Howell, Clifford Reed.

Promoted from 7th Grade to 8th Grade—Elizabeth Clayton, Esther Shalcross, Elizabeth Brady, Margaret Brady Edwin Donaghy, John Spicer, Grace VanDyke, Stacy Jones, Harris McDowell, Dorothy Caulk, Dorothy Ratledge, Wallace Hufnal, Ernest Ratledge, Gilbert Duhadaway, Helen Kates, William Hall, Norma Pyle, Catherine Reed, Sarah Pearce, Russell Harris, Victor Kohl, Preston Whitlock, Frank VanSant.

Promoted from 6th Grade to 7th Grade—Virginia Johnson, Lewis Collins, Virginia Hopkins, Leland Snicek, Esther Gabriel, Jehu Alfree, Rachel Thornton, Ida Dugan, William Pennewill, Katherine Conley, Linden Stafford, Mary Steele, Harry Pearce, Anna Alfree, Lester Burge, Clark Burge, Harry Sinex, Edna Spicer, Earl Kirk.

Promoted from 5th Grade to 6th Grade—Helen Fouracre, John Voshell, Henry Howell, Bertha Chance, Horace Moore, Evelyn Brown, Irma Montgomery, Catherine Hopkins, Kathryn Davis, Oakley Banning, Elizabeth Hufnal, Bayard Wilson, Charlotte Donaghy, Francis Harris, Mary Alfree, Herman Conner, Helen Moore, Walter Lee.

Promoted from Grade 4 to Grade 5—Catherine Beaton, Catherine Carpenter, Virginia Brady, Elsie Bouchelle, Benny Rosenberg, Charles Hopkins, John Donohue, Joseph Beaton, Julian King, James Thornton, Lewis Stewart, Robert Forsaker, Robert Gabriel, Winfield Betts, Mary Hyndson, Edmund Moore. Virginia Bradly attended every day during the term.

Promoted from Grade 3 to Grade 4—Dorothy Steele, Elizabeth Sinex, Margaret Denny, Margaret Baker, Helen Hobbs, Almata Spicer, Noris Aubry, Henry Vaughan, Charles Pope, John C. Green, Jr., John C. Swain, Kenneth Pennewill, Raymond Duhadaway, William Hamburg, Roland Heldmyer, Ralph Hynson, Leroy Hall, Bessie Ellis, Mildred Morris, Howard Gabriel, Richard Records, Lura Reed, Jay Davis, Ralph Berkman, Frank Ottwell.

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Easy Money.
He was the kind of man who would wager his very soul away. He had stopped on a busy corner of a great city and as he stood watching the mad riot of passing traffic, the dash of automobiles and the breakneck rush of hure-brained messenger boys on motorcycles a thought struck him—right between the eyes.
He raised up his voice and attracted a crowd. "Men, I will wager \$100 that I can cross this street blindfolded."
Brave men shuddered at the thought. "The poor simp," they remarked mentally, "he will be knocked forty ways from blue Monday before he has gone ten feet." The wagers were laid. Then a little skinny fellow came along, blindfolded the reckless man and led him across the street and back in safety, amid angry cries of a duped populace.
Note.—We are willing to part with the motion picture rights of this thrilling episode for 98 cents.—Indianapolis News.

U-Boats Built to Be Lost.
I had the pleasure of going all over the surrendered submarine UC 95 with her British commander and seeing for myself how the Hun arranges his sub-surface pirates. One fact which sticks out like a sore thumb is that she was evidently built to be lost, not to last. There has been no such thing as accessibility considered in her fittings. For instance, the ventilating fan—the captain called my attention to its hum, and said that, of course, they could stop and start it. But they couldn't locate it exactly, and that if it broke down and had to be repaired it would apparently be a dry dock job. Nothing in her has been planned with the idea of easy access on repair—very evidently she was put together with the belief that long before she would need an overhauling she would be captured or destroyed.—C. H. Claudy in Scientific American.



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THE STATE OF DELAWARE

Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department at its office, Dover, Delaware, until two (2) o'clock, P. M., July 9, 1919, and at that place and time publicly opened, for the construction of 8.27 miles of State Highway (cement concrete) in New Castle and Kent Counties, Delaware, involving the following approximate quantities:

Contract No. 15—0.42 Miles
21,500 cu. yds. Grading
10 cu. yds. Concrete Masonry
300 pounds Reinforcement
50 lin. ft. 15 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
34 lin. ft. 30 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
6 Bounds
1,500 Tons Stone for Macadam
600 Sq. Yds. Penetration Macadam

Contract No. 16—4.91 Miles
7.5 acres Clearing and Grubbing
56,000 cu. yds. Grading
1,020 cu. yds. Concrete Masonry
32,000 pounds Reinforcement
400 lin. ft. 15 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
68 lin. ft. 18 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
68 lin. ft. 24 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
34 lin. ft. 30 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
136 lin. ft. 36 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
50 Bounds
3,000 lin. ft. Piles
3,500 lin. ft. Wood Guard Rail
100 tons Stone for Macadam
9,380 cu. yds. Cement Con. Roadway
250 Joints
2,000 sq. yds. Roadway Reinforcement

Contract No. 17—2.94 Miles
1.00 acres Clearing and Grubbing
21,000 cu. yds. Grading
200 cu. yds. Concrete Masonry
2,000 pounds Reinforcement
240 lin. ft. 15 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
68 lin. ft. 18 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
24 lin. ft. 24 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
34 lin. ft. 30 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
34 lin. ft. 36 in. Reinf. Con. Pipe
30 Bounds
75 tons Stone for Macadam
5,600 cu. yds. Cement Con. Roadway
150 Joints

Bids may be submitted for Contracts No. 16 and No. 17 separately or combined.
Performance of contract shall commence within ten (10) days after execution of contract and be completed on or before December 1, 1919.

Monthly payments will be made for 90 per cent. of the construction completed each month.

Bidders must submit proposals upon forms provided by the Department.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a surety bond, certified check, or money to the amount of at least ten (10) per centum of the amount of the total amount of the proposal.

The envelope containing the proposal must be marked: "Proposal for the Construction of a State Highway under Contract No. 15, No. 16, and No. 17."

The contract will be awarded or rejected within twenty (20) days from the date of opening proposals.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Detailed plans may be seen, and index plans and specifications may be obtained after June 23, 1919, upon deposit of (\$10.00) ten dollars which amount will be refunded upon return of plans and specifications in good condition, at the office of

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT,
DOVER, DELAWARE
Chas. M. Upham, Chief Engineer.

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To Farmers and Stock Raisers Only

WE are exclusive agents for AVALON FARMS HOG-TONE and other VETERINARY PREPARATIONS in MIDDLETOWN, ODESSA, TOWNSEND and vicinity. Come to our store and we will give you **FREE** a sixty days treatment of HOG-TONE for all your hogs, and if you are not thoroughly satisfied with the result after sixty days use, return the labels to us and the medicine will cost you nothing, fair enough isn't it. HOG-TONE is guaranteed to eradicate worms from hogs, and put flesh on them or it costs you not one cent.

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Townsend, Del.

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Something Good to Know

When you need a suit the best way to buy one is from a man who understands tailoring and the quality of cloth. There are several thousand manufacturers in the U. S. and there is a big difference in the making of a suit, there is also a difference in the cloth. There is cotton cloth, cotton and worsted chevrons, cotton and wool and pure wool. Those who never handled clothing don't know the difference between good clothing and common clothing, because they don't understand the tailoring and how a suit should fit. I have been in the tailoring business for seventy years and I make suits to satisfy my customers.

A Beautiful Line of READY-TO-WEAR SITS AND PANTS

Many people are paying from two to ten dollars for altering their suit because they don't buy them in the right place. We make our suits fit right and don't charge for any alterations.

SUITS \$8.50 UP. PANTS \$1.50 UP

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Middletown, Delaware

Just What You are Looking for

On Hand for Immediate Delivery

Iron Age, Ohio and Buckeye Wheel Cultivators
Iron Age, Ohio and Buckeye Cultivator Plates
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Hay Rakes
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Townsend, Delaware

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Done by the Security Trust and Safe Deposit Company speaks much for the usefulness of this strong, old banking institution. All matters receive that attention and care which make it so satisfactory to deal with us. Checking accounts are solicited.

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NOTICE

ESTATE of Stacey S. Shockley, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Stacey S. Shockley, late of St. Georges Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Martin B. Burris on the Nineteenth day of June A. D., 1919, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Administrator without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrator on or before the Nineteenth day of June A. D. 1920, or abide by the law in this behalf.

MARTIN B. BURRIS,
Administrator.
Address
Middletown,
Delaware.

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Everything found in an up-to-date Jewelry Store

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Protect your lamps and fenders too; We'll put the bumpers on for you!
A N auto without a bumper is like an engine without a cow-catcher. Don't take a chance of injuring your lamps, fenders or radiator. We will sell you the kind of bumper best fitted for your car. If you have any ideas on the subject come in and talk them over with us.

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NOTICE

ESTATE of Mary E. Price Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Mary E. Price late of St. Georges Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Martin B. Burris on the Twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1919 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Administrator without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrator on or before the Twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1920, or abide by the law in this behalf.

MARTIN B. BURRIS,
Administrator.
Address
Middletown,
Delaware.

ESTATE of John S. Lattomus Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of John S. Lattomus, late of Appoquinimink Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Winfield Lattomus and Levi L. Maloney, on the Fourth day of June, A. D. 1919, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executors without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executors on or before the Fourth day of June, A. D. 1920, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Winfield Lattomus,
Levi L. Maloney,
Executors.
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PUT it flush up to Prince Albert to produce more smoke happiness than you ever before collected! P. A.'s built to fit your smokeappetite like kids fit your hands! It has the jimdandiest flavor and coolness and fragrance you ever ran against!

Just what a whale of joy Prince Albert really is you want to find out the double-quickest thing you do next. And, puff it down how you could smoke P. A. for hours without tongue bite or parching. Our exclusive patented process cuts out bite and parch.

Realize what it would mean to get set with a joy'us jimmy pipe or the papers every once and a while. And, puff to beat the cards! *Without a comeback!* Why, P. A. is so good you feel like you'd just have to eat that fragrant smoke! R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

When a Boy Grows Up

and gets around to buying his own clothes, he's very apt to remember the store that sold his Mother that "awful brown suit" and steer clear of it.

The Knicker suits we sell stand the knocks and our styles are well planned and good to look at.

We believe in being far sighted in the matter of Boys.

Suits, 7.50, 10.00, 12.50, 15.00

Boy's Hats, Shoes

Shirts, Waists

and Underwear

Union Suits

If You See A Hat

in our window that looks like you—come in and try it on.

If there's a shirt on display that you like the color of—come in and get "close up."

We trim these displays for your edification and to attract your attention and we want you to feel free to

**Come In
Try On
Look Over
Take Off**

and WALK OUT—without buying, or feeling, or EVEN IMAGINING that you've put us to any trouble.

The compliment is all ours whether you buy or not—when it gets to be a bother to show our merchandise—we'll get out of business.

Emery Shirts - \$1.50 to \$7.50

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Everyday Shirts, Pants and Suits, made by Sweet, Orr & Co.

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Open Wednesday nights until 9 o'clock.

SMYRNA, DELAWARE

the strawberry season just closed has been the most profitable for those who had berries in the history of culture in the vicinity of Laurel.

Under the quarterly distribution of the State public school tax fund, which will be made in a few days, Cecil County, Md., will receive \$6322.27.

Refused permission by the City Council to take the fire engine to the State Firemen's convention at Salisbury, the Crisfield Fire Company has disbanded.

The record of 319 feet of concrete laid in one day by the Italian gang on the Seaford-Bridgetown State highway was broken by the American gang, when they laid 322 feet.

Final plans are being made for the opening of the State Summer School for Teachers at Delaware College next Monday, to last six weeks. It is expected that 300 teachers will enroll.

Uncle Sam has decided to take the 14th census on farms January 1, 1920, instead of the usual time in April. This change is made to permit accuracy in the census and so it will not conflict with spring work on farms.

A celebration that will surpass any that was ever held is being arranged by the Laurel Volunteer Fire Company to take place on July 4. A meeting was held last week and committees were appointed to take charge of the several events and to make arrangements for the celebration.

Women To Enter College
The following named young women have taken entrance examinations at the Women's College of Delaware: Nettie Blair, Virginia Brown, Eleanor Clemo, Ethel Jones, Amy Lloyd, Marion Truax, Wilmington; Maria Elizabeth Bennett, Wilma Faye Moore, Ruth Russell, Milford; Natalie Ayerst, Elkton; Grace Brady, Mary Reynolds, Middletown; Emily Cole, Lillian McKee, Dover; Hannah Deakne, Catharine Denney, Evely Sprague, Smyrna; Miriam Clark, Clayton; Viola Eilers, Mildred Johnson, Wyoming; Marion Gallagher, Alice Jaquette, Gladys McAllister, Newark; Elsie Johnson, Richardson Park; Mabel Smith, Hartly.

An Invitation
A cordial invitation is hereby extended to all of the citizens of Maryland, Delaware and the eastern shore of Virginia to attend celebration and formal opening of New Ocean City Bridge at Ocean City, Maryland, on July 4th.

Exercises will commence at 3 P. M. on the bridge. Prominent speakers will take part and music will be furnished by Concert Band.

Come one, Come all. Spend July Fourth at Ocean City—Maryland's only Seashore Resort.

Respectfully,
MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF
Ocean City, Md.

To Transfer Schools To County
At a recent meeting of the Middle-town School Board, it was decided to turn over the school and equipment to the County. This decision was reached after considerable discussion as to the advisability of making the school a separate district and annexing some of the outlying districts.

The buildings are owned by the Board of Academy Trustees and have been rented to the School Board for 50 years at a nominal rental of \$1 a year. Whether or not the Academy Trustees will turn their property over to the County has not yet been decided.

Annual Red Cross Meeting
The annual meeting of the Middle town branch of the American Red Cross will be held in the New Century Club house on Tuesday evening, July 1st, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Downing, of Philadelphia, will speak on Red Cross Community Nursing Service. Show that you are still interested in Red Cross work by attending this meeting.

Road in Kent Completed
The stretch of concrete road from Dover to Cheswold, being the first lap of the State highway in Kent county to be completed, has been thrown open to public traffic, a detour now being only necessary through Cheswold to Brenford of three miles.

Then the strip of State highway from Brenford to Smyrna will also be open to traffic.

Annual Re-union
The third annual Re-union of the Pencader Presbyterian Church, Glasgow, Del., will be held June 29th, 1919. This meeting is under the auspices of the Pencader Cemetery Association.

Dr. Samuel Craig, of Philadelphia, connected with the Presbyterian Church and other prominent speakers will be present.

Making Improvements
A number of workmen have been engaged for several days in making alterations and enlarging the floor space of the Peoples National Bank. When completed the improvements will be a great convenience to both the patrons and employees of the banking house.

Tenth Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Lynch have issued invitations to their tenth wedding anniversary, on Monday evening, June 30th, at 8.30 o'clock, at their home on North Broad Street, this town.

**ON SATURDAY
THE 12TH DAY OF JULY, 1919**
at 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate viz: ALL these three certain lots or pieces of land, with the buildings erected thereon situate in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. With a three story brick dwelling thereon, Beginning at a stake on the easterly side of Jefferson Street, at the distance of eighty feet from the southerly side of Seventh Street, at a corner of land now or late of Albert W. Smith; thence by land of said Albert W. Smith, and others, easterly parallel with Seventh Street, sixty-three feet to a corner; thence southerly and parallel with Jefferson Street, seventeen feet to the southerly side of a three feet wide alley leading into said alley, westerly and parallel with Seventh Street, sixty-three feet to the aforesaid side of Jefferson Street, and thence there by northerly seventeen feet to the place of Beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may.

No. 2. With a brick carpenter shop, thereon erected. Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Wollaston Street, at the distance of eighty feet southerly from the southerly side of Seventh Street; thence westerly parallel with Seventh Street sixty-two feet more or less, to other lands of the above named Joseph J. Rehman, as above described in No. 1; thence southerly parallel with Wollaston Street and binding on said Rehman's other land, fourteen feet to a corner; thence easterly parallel with Seventh Street, sixty-two feet more or less to said westerly side of Wollaston Street and thence there by northerly fourteen feet to the place of Beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may.

No. 3. With a three story brick dwelling thereon. Beginning at a stake on the easterly side of Tatnall Street between Sixth and Seventh Streets at the distance of forty-nine feet from the northerly side of Sixth Street; thence easterly and parallel with Sixth Street sixty-eight feet six inches to a line now or formerly of Charles A. Murphy; thence with said Murphy's line northerly, seventeen feet to a stake; thence westerly parallel with Sixth Street and passing through the middle of the division wall between this and the adjoining house on the north sixty-eight feet six inches to said easterly side of Tatnall Street, and thence there by southerly seventeen feet to the place of Beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Joseph H. Rehman, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Joseph J. Rehman deceased and Elizabeth L. Rehman, surviving Mortgagee, and to be sold by

JOSHUA Z. CROSSLAND, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., June 24, 1919.

Large Public Sale!
I will sell at my stables in Galena, Md.,

Thursday, July 3d, '19
rain or shine,

40 Head of Registered and Grade Holstein Heifers and Cows

I will sell you an exceptionally fine bunch of registered Holstein heifers and young cows and a few young bulls. This stock has been tuberculin tested, except the local commission stock, which, no doubt, will do you some good. Also, 15 to 20 head of commission horses and mules.

Will sell for one party on commission his tractor, "Happy Farmer," 8-16 horse power tractor. Has been used chiefly in field this spring by owner; good as new. Harrows, plows, discs, and in fact everything that is used with a tractor. This machine will be sold at 12.30 sharp. Will also sell one almost new Ford car, 1 used Ford car in good shape; 2 Vim trucks, both 1918 cars in good shape. One heavy truck running good; in fact there will be eight or nine good second hand cars here that will be sold for the high dollar.

Will sell also 30 or 40 pigs and shoats and anything else you want to dispose of. Several sets of harness and carriages, one set heavy wagon harness. Will sell rain or shine. TERMS: CASH.

S. G. CALDWELL.

DOGS HELPED TO WIN WAR
Part Played by Pets of the American Soldiers Overlooked.

A bewildering mass of printed matter is accumulating which bears upon the relative and intrinsic usefulness of various agencies which contributed to the welfare and comfort of the American army in France. There is also much discussion of the part which French women and children played in mitigating the loneliness and hardships of service far from home. But little has been said of the service rendered by French dogs.

Some authorities claim that on the average there was a pet dog to every company of soldiers averaging 250 men, at the outset. This would make 4,000 dogs for 1,000,000 men, or 8,000 dogs for the entire American army in France when the armistice was signed.

It is quite possible that these thousands of pets contributed more to the winning of the war than all of the dogs used for scouting and watching, and even those that served in the Red Cross to find wounded and exhausted soldiers and carry first-aid comfort to them where they lay, in obscure places not easily discovered by human senses.

For the pets helped mightily in keeping up the morale of men tired and battered by the hard work of the campaign. They were "on the job" all the time. They were a moral tonic and they taught, as fine dogs always do, the kind of devotion and loyalty which is the very soul of a good army.

If 8,000 dogs, or only 5,000, were kept as pets by American soldiers in France it is certain that they provided millions of hours of pleasure for weary men and soothed a multitude of homesick hearts. They typified the affection which does not grow cold, the faith which never wavers, and such steadfastness was good for fighting men to think about, in an alien land, close to battle and the chance of death.

LOCAL ADS
THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE
PAID FOR CORN on order, loaded
and water at ANY POINT.
JAMES L. SHEPHERD.
FOR SALE—Tomato, Pepper and
Egg Plants. A. K. HOPKINS.

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Notice—Dividend
NEW CASTLE COUNTY NATIONAL BANK
OF ODESSA, JUNE 13, 1919
The Directors have this day declared
a Semi-annual Dividend of Four per
cent, clear of taxes, payable on and
after June 30th, 1919.
JOS. G. BROWN, Cashier.

Be Comfortable
and you will enjoy the Summer.
Comfort in Clothes, Hats, Shoes
and All Furnishings for Men
and Boys here and ready wait-
ing.
Every Size
All The New Styles
The Right Qualities
Moderate Prices
Thin Suits, \$20 to \$40
Blue Serges, \$20 to \$50
Palm Beaches, \$10 to \$16
Mohairs, \$10 to \$20
Auto Dusters, \$2 to \$10
Mohair Coats, \$3 to \$8
Flannel Trousers, \$5 to \$10
Underwear and Shirts
All Furnishings
Straw and Panama Hats
Low and Tennis Shoes
We save you time, money and
trouble when you come here.
Mullin's Home Store
Sixth and Market
WILMINGTON

To-day—Not To-morrow
That Savings Account you were
going to start. You know it ought
to be done. You tully intended to
do it. WHY NOT NOW? Yester-
day is gone. To-day is here, to-mor-
row never comes.

**4 PER CENT. INTEREST PAID ON
ALL DEPOSITS. NO CHARGE
MADE FOR ANY ACCOUNT
WILMINGTON SAVINGS
FUND SOCIETY**
S. E. Cor. 9th and Market Sts.,
Wilmington, Delaware

FOR SALE.
117 acre farm located at Blackbird
Station, 1000 peach trees, 30 acres in
corn and tomatoes, 40 acres in wheat.
All growing crops will be sold with
farm. Possession at once.
WILLIAM T. MILLS,
Townsend, Del.
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of the 20th century women are
many and varied. There are cer-
tain articles which every woman
must have. We have them all in
large assortment, to say nothing
of our patent medicines and drugs.
Everything that a druggist sells
can be found at our pharmacy.
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Middletown, Del.

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W. T. WELLS, MANAGER
WILL OPEN
SATURDAY, JUNE 28th
JULY 2d
R. A. WALSH Drama
REGENERATION
Comedy, "Damaged no Goods"
Mutt and Jeff in Tail of the Pig
JULY 4th
GEORGE WALSH
in
"Some Boy"
Comedy, "Mongels"
Cartoon, Superintendent, Mutt and Jeff
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the astute business man as naturally turns to his
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This Institution, following out its aim of the
most acceptable, dependable service to business
interests, gladly extends the benefit of its special-
ized financial knowledge and banking experience
to those seeking such guidance and counsel.
New business invited.

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NATIONAL BANK**
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.
J. FRANK ELLISON, PRESIDENT
W. K. BETTS, CASHIER
L. L. MALONEY, VICE PRES.
FRANK R. POOL, ASST. CASH.

Notice—Dividend
THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK
Middletown, Del., June 19, 1919
The Board of Directors have this day
declared a dividend of THREE and
ONE HALF (3 1-2 PER CENT.) for
the last six months, free from taxes,
payable on and after July 1st, 1919.
W. K. BETTS, Cashier.

**Had Stomach Troubles of the Worst
Kind. TONALL Put Him Back
to Work Again**
Barton Lutz, Intercoarse, R. D. No.
2, Lancaster county, Pa., whose occu-
pation is butchering, says:
"I had stomach trouble of the worst
kind, and suffered all that went with it.
I dozed in vain. At last I bought Ton-
all and after reading about the roots,
herbs and barks I thought it was just
the medicine I needed. This proved
true.
"I have been helped as I never was
before.
"I now recommend Tonall as the
medicine for all ailments of the stom-
ach which is so common a complaint,
nowadays, to many people. They can't
get it too soon, if they want health."
Tonall is sold at the
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LADIES' White Hose Drive
COTTON is again 32 cents a pound, and will go much higher. Labor
federations are striking for a 7 hour work day in all industries.
Wages are still going up. All these things mean that cotton goods
of every kind will very soon be classed among the luxuries.
I have a big stock of LADIES' WHITE HOSE bought far below pre-
sent prices, which I am offering at the old figures. It would have paid
me to have them dyed, but as an advertisement of my business and to
win myself new friends I am giving my customers, old and new, the
benefit of this bargain event. One word more, come at once.

Ladies' White Cotton Hose
15 dozen, only six pairs to a customer. Regular price, 29c a pair.
This sale price, 6 prs. for
\$1.25

Ladies' White Lisle Hose
30 dozen, 6 prs. to a customer. Regular price, 35c. For this sale,
6 prs. for
\$1.75

Ladies' ilk Fiber Hose
Colors, white, light, peacock, navy blue and gray. Regular price,
35c. 6 prs. to a customer for
\$1.75
This is really a 50c hose at the present prices!

Ladies' White Mercerised Lisle Hose
Regular price, 50c. Not less than 3 prs. to a customer. For this
sale, 3 prs. for
\$1.00

Positively I cannot myself now buy these goods for the prices I am
offering them to my trade.

A. FOGEL'S DEPARTMENT STORE
Middletown, - Del.